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**PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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- ☒ Specification, claims and abstract of the above-referenced patent application (total of 45 pages)
- ☒ 18 sheet(s) of informal drawing(s) (FIGURES 1-10)
- ☒ Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (signed)
- ☒ An Assignment of the invention to: Gary D. Childres.
- ☒ Applicant Claims small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27.

Priority is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119 based on filing in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

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Respectfully submitted,

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